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COORDINATING COMMITTEE

RECORD OF DISCUSSION

ON

THE REVIEW OF THE STRATEGIC EXPORT CONTROLS - EXCEPTIONS PROCEDURES

27th July 1959.

Present: Belgium(Luxembourg), Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, United Kingdom, United States.

References: COCOM 471 Revised, 1473, 2869.5, 13, 55, 62, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 86, 88, 89, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, Secretariat Paper 104 Revised.

Approval of draft COCOM 3620(Continued).

1. The CHAIRMAN asked whether the United States Delegation could accept the compromise proposal regarding Paragraph 15(a) recorded in paragraph 7 of COCOM Document 2869.105.
2. The UNITED STATES Delegate said that his authorities were willing to confirm his acceptance of the change in the last sentence of paragraph 15(a). They found it difficult however, to accept the substitution for the second sentence of that paragraph of the text proposed by the United Kingdom Delegate. The Delegate therefore preferred that the paragraph should remain as in the draft, except for the change in the last sentence (as set out in paragraph 7 of COCOM Document 2869.105) amending it to read: "... comprises a smaller number of items than before".
3. The UNITED KINGDOM Delegate expressed appreciation of the United States Delegation's acceptance of this change. As to the second sentence, he said that his authorities would have preferred the wording he had proposed in paragraph 2 of COCOM 2869.105, but in the interests of a speedy conclusion he would agree to the text of the second sentence set out in draft COCOM 3620.
4. The CHAIRMAN proposed, and the COMMITTEE agreed, that a new paragraph 18 should be added to COCOM 3620, reading: "The Committee decided that the exceptions procedures set out above would come into force on the 1st September 1959".

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